System Wide Information Management (SWIM) Workshop Session

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- 1. What issues from other sessions (not SWIM) need to be considered as part of SWIM? (certification, policy)
- What holes and differences were noted in the SWIM architectures presented? How can NASA help with technologies to close these gaps? How should the data be modeled and validated?
- 3. How might SWIM take advantage of the work done in support DoD's GIG?
- 4. What is the killer application for SWIM? What is the ROI? (operating costs)
- What are the transition issues? (current activities, future ATC capabilities)
- 6. Security architecture?
- 7. International harmonization?

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How should the data be modeled to validate/enhance the publish/subscribe concept?

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Policy Issues and Strategies

- Objectives, scope and boundaries of SWIM need to be clearly defined and articulated.
- How will international harmonization be achieved? (information standards, architecture, policy)
 - EUROCAE WG 59 Interoperability
 - EUROCAE WG 61 Architecture
- What is the security policy and its objectives? (access, ownership, levels, strategy)
 - Needs to be identified early and coordinated
- How might SWIM take advantage of the work done in support DoD's GIG?
- How can we simplify the safety certification process?
- What are the data and information approval requirements for specific applications?
- Does the SWIM team understand the implications of certification on development?
- How will standards be influenced, adapted and enforced?
- What is the strategy for performance management and metrics?

Technology Issues and Strategies

- How will architecture address the four domains: oceanic, en route, terminal, airport?
 - Physical, data, and application
- How should the data be modeled and validated?
- Security architecture should be developed in concert with technology architecture.
- Business case needs to be identified and articulated.
- Scalability, flexibility, evolvability are key considerations for the architecture.
- How will SWIM architecture accommodate COTS end systems for NAS subsystems with proprietary interfaces?
- What are the technology gaps?

Transition Issues and Strategies

- Is there a sufficient understanding of the current architectures?
- What are the current activities and how will they be leveraged to benefit SWIM?
 - How will the East Coast broadcast services migrate to SWIM?
 - Investigate UAL's EFB for applicability to SWIM.
- What are the defined future ATC capabilities?
- How will existing operational capabilities be maintained?
- How can we gain early buy-in from aviation industry and other stakeholders?
 - Develop business case to improve ROI.
 - Identify early benefits.
 - Conduct outreach to stakeholders.

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Transition Issues and Strategies

- What are the windows of opportunity for SWIM?
 - What is the ROI?
 - How will operating costs be reduced and/or services be improved?
- What are the plans for vulnerability and security analysis and risk management?
- What are the plans for program management and evaluation criteria to be incorporated in the transition plan?

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